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ग्रामीण विकास एवं पंचायती राज विभाग  
(पंचायती राज विभाग)

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मुख्य कार्यकारी अधिकारी  
जिला परिषद समस्त ।

विषय:-सी.एम.जे. यूनिवर्सिटी मेघालय की मान्यता/डिग्रीयों बाबत।  
संदर्भ:-विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग नई दिल्ली का पत्र दिनांक

उपरोक्त विषयान्तर्गत लेख है कि कनिष्ठ लिपिक भर्ती 2013 में विभिन्न अभ्यर्थियों ने सी.एम.जे. यूनिवर्सिटी मेघालय से जारी कम्प्यूटर प्रमाण पत्र/डिग्री के आधार पर आवेदन किया है एवं विभिन्न जिला परिषदों द्वारा सीजेएम विश्वविद्यालय द्वारा जारी डिग्री/प्रमाण पत्रों के संबंध में मार्गदर्शन चाहा जाता रहा है ।


इस संबंध में लेख है कि विश्वविद्यालय अनुदान आयोग नई दिल्ली द्वारा उनके पत्र दिनांक 10.1.18 द्वारा सी.जे.एम. विश्वविद्यालय मेघालय के संबंध में विस्तृत जानकारी उपलब्ध कराई है, इस पत्र की प्रति नियमानुसार कार्यवाही हेतु संलग्न कर भिजवाई जा रही है ।

संलग्न: उपरोक्तानुसार ।

  
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प्रतिलिपि:-सूचनार्थ एवं आवश्यक कार्यवाही हेतु ।

1. प्रोग्रामर, कम्प्यूटर सैल मुख्यालय वेबसाईट पर अपलोड हेतु।

  
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**SPEED-POST**

No. F. 5-4/2017 (CPP-I/PU)

Shri Rajendra Shekhar Makkad,  
Extra Commissioner and Joint Secretary  
Department of Rural Development and Panchayati Raj  
Government of Rajasthan, Jaipur,  
Rajasthan

January, 2018

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Handwritten notes and stamps: "400/10", "CMJ अतिरिक्त केंद्र", "Putup करे", and a signature.

Sub: - Status of CMJ University.

Sir,

With reference to your letter no dated 23.10.2017 on the above subject, I am directed to inform you that C.M.J. University, Modrina Mansion, Laitumkhrah, Shillong (Meghalaya) was established vide Act No. 04 of 2009 (Notification No. LL(B)42/09/80 dated 20.07.2009) of the State Legislature of Meghalaya as a Private University and was empowered to award degrees as specified by the UGC under Section 22 of the UGC Act, 1956 at its main campus in regular mode with the approval of statutory bodies/councils, wherever required. CMJ University was not authorized to open off-campus centre(s)/study centre(s) beyond the territorial jurisdiction of the State of Meghalaya as per the judgment of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in the case of Prof. Yashpal vs. State of Chhattisgarh. This University was not even allowed to open any centre(s) even within the state of Meghalaya as per the provisions contained in UGC (Establishment of and Maintenance of Standards in Private Universities) Regulations, 2003 without the approval of UGC. The University was allowed to conduct M.Phil/Ph.D programmes in regular mode at its main campus at Shillong (Meghalaya) but only as per the provisions contained in the UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Awards of M.Phil/Ph.D. Degree), Regulations, 2009.

His Excellency the Governor of Meghalaya in his capacity as visitor initiated certain actions against CMJ University for irregularities committed by it. His Excellency also recommended to the State Government of Meghalaya for dissolution of this University in terms of Section 48 of the CMJ University Act, 2009.

UGC has been receiving complaints about the courses run by CMJ University outside its territorial jurisdiction and also in the off-campus/study centres established by the University without the approval of UGC and the State Government. Some of the complaints were about Ph.D programmes run by this University. These complaints were about back dated registration, no entrance examination and about not following UGC M.Phil/Ph.D./ Regulations.

UGC constituted an Expert Committee for the following purposes:-

- I To assess fulfilment of criteria in terms of programmes, faculty, infrastructural facilities, financial viability, etc. as laid down from time to time by the UGC and other concerned statutory bodies, and
- II To look into the violations as reported by the Governor Secretariat, Meghalaya and various complaints received by the UGC

11. Expert Committee visited CMJ University on 08.08.2013 along with the nominees from AIU and NCTE

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The report of the UGC Expert Committee was placed before the Commission at its 495<sup>th</sup> meeting held on 01.10.2013. The Commission considered the report and approved the same. UGC vide letter No. F. 8-21/2010(CPP-I/PU) dated 22.10.2013 forwarded a copy of the report to the Governor Secretariat, Meghalaya and Chief Secretary, Meghalaya Government with the request to take appropriate action against CMJ University as per the provisions of the University Act or any other law as the Governor Secretariat/State Government deems fit. The Governor Secretariat/Meghalaya Government were also requested to take a decision about the validity of the degrees already awarded by CMJ University in the past keeping in view that only those degrees can be termed as valid for which courses were conducted by CMJ University in regular mode at its main campus at Shillong and that too with the prior approval of Statutory Council(s) concerned, wherever, required. It was also informed that M.Phil/Ph.D. can be conducted by any University in regular mode at the main campus and as per the provisions contained in the UGC (Minimum Standards and Procedure for Awards of M.Phil/Ph.D. Degree), Regulations, 2009.

The Governor Secretariat and Government of Meghalaya have been requested to inform the decision taken as the UGC is receiving lot of queries about CMJ University and validity of degrees already awarded by it.

In response, Deputy Secretary to the Governor of Meghalaya, Raj Bhavan, Shillong has informed that the Governor Secretariat has already taken up the matter with the State Government of Meghalaya as per the direction of the Hon'ble Supreme Court.

The Principal Secretary, Government of Meghalaya Education Department Vide letter No EDN. 222/2013/316 dated 05.06.2014 informed the UGC that the C.M.J University has been dissolved by the Government of Meghalaya under section 48 (2) of C.M.J University Act. Regarding validity of Degrees, it is informed that hearing on representation by students have been completed keeping in view various parameters including those indicated by UGC. A total of 1643 students attended hearing and 4803 were absent. A total of 1479 cases the degrees were found to be invalid and they are being intimated separately.

For any other information in this regard you are requested to approach directly to the State Government of Meghalaya.

Yours faithfully,

  
(Kundla Mahajan)  
Under Secretary(CPP-I)

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